

What is claimed is:

1. A shield for use with a hard disk drive having a rectangular shape when viewed in plan, said hard disk drive having a heat emitting motor and heat emitting components, comprising

a rectangular plate having a rectangular shape when viewed in plan and having two sides spaced no farther apart than the overall width of said hard drive, said plate being formed with a plurality of louvers to dissipate heat to the atmosphere, each said louver comprising a fixed rectangular fin within said rectangular shape slanting upwardly from said plate, each said fin having three edges comprising a longitudinal edge having ends spaced inward from said sides and

two side edges at said ends perpendicular to said longitudinal edge, said fin having a fourth edge integral with said plate and spaced from and parallel to said longitudinal edge, said fourth side interconnecting said side edges, each said fin being connected to said plate and located between said sides.

2. A shield according to claim 1 in which said plate is formed with a depression located to contact the motor when said plate is attached to the drive.

3. A shield according to claim 1 in which said plate is formed with outward-upward slanted end edges.

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